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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: John Thomas Hare and Donald Weir

Serial No.: 08/793,416

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Examiner:

For: Moulded Radiation Shield

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of four months to respond to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed May 19, 1997.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

/X/ is filed herewith.

/_/ has been filed.

(complete the following if applicable)

/_/ the response is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.

3. Applicant is

/X/ a small entity - verified statement:

/X/ attached.

/X/ already filed.

/_/ other than a small entity.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8(a))

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I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Martin G. Linihan

(Type or print name of person mailing paper)

Date: October 20, 1997

(Signature of person mailing paper)

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a) - (d)):

| <u>Total months requested</u> | <u>Fee for other than small entity</u> | <u>Fee for small entity</u> |
|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| <u>/_/_/</u> one month | \$ 110.00 | \$ 55.00 |
| <u>/_/_/</u> two months | \$ 400.00 | \$200.00 |
| <u>/_/_/</u> three months | \$ 950.00 | \$475.00 |
| <u>/X/</u> four months | \$1,510.00 | \$755.00 |

Fee \$755.00

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

/_/_/ An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request.

\$755.00

5. Extended period for response

Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any) the extended period for response will expire on October 20, 1997.

6. Fee Payment


/X/ Attached is a check in the sum of \$755.00.

/X/ Charge Account 08-2442 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

/_/_/ Charge fee to Account No. _____ and this is a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

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